StatsUpdate

Topic: **Deaths**
2013
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Background: In 2013, there were **194** deaths in Nunavut – an **increase** of **33** deaths or **20.5%** from 2012.

In Canada, the number of deaths **increased** by **2.3%** during the same period.

Details:

Deaths by Province & Territory

	2013	2012	2013 compared to 2012
	number		% change
Nunavut	**194**	**161**	**20.5**
Canada	**252,338**	**246,596**	**2.3**
Newfoundland and Labrador	4,837	4,635	4.4
Prince Edward Island	1,284	1,231	4.3
Nova Scotia	8,878	8,415	5.5
New Brunswick	6,627	6,443	2.9
Quebec	61,289	60,774	0.8
Ontario	93,343	90,740	2.9
Manitoba	10,095	10,062	0.3
Saskatchewan	9,333	9,204	1.4
Alberta	22,844	22,001	3.8
British Columbia	33,200	32,524	2.1
Yukon	215	206	4.4
Northwest Territories	199	200	-0.5

Note to Readers:
Data on deaths and causes of death are collected by the Vital Statistics – Death Database, an administrative survey that collects demographic and medical (cause of death) information annually from all provincial and territorial vital statistics registries on all deaths in Canada.

The data are used to calculate basic indicators (such as counts and rates) on the deaths of residents of Canada. Information from this database is also used in the calculation of statistics, such as cause-specific death rates and life expectancy.

Data for reference year 2012 and revised data for reference year 2011 from the Vital Statistics – Death Database are now available.

For more statistical information, visit our website at http://www.stats.gov.nu.ca/en/home.aspx.

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